

## TELEGRAPHIC.

Winnipeg, Feb. 21, '98.

Viscount Combermere is dead.

Wesley F. Orr, of Calgary, is dead.

William J. Scanlan, Irish comedian, is dead.

The Zola trial will probably end on Wednesday.

The Montreal board of trade supports the Edmonton route.

Two men were killed in a railway collision at Rock Port, Ill.

Public sympathy in France seems to incline towards M. Zola.

Victims of the Maine disaster were given a public funeral at Havana.

Miss Willard's funeral services in New York were largely attended.

Sir Chas. Dilke sees imminent danger in French aggression in Africa.

Horrible tortures of Bulgarians by Turks are reported from Macedonia.

The London stock market is depressed on account of war-like rumors.

Judge Kotze, president of the Transvaal supreme court, has been dismissed.

The debate on the Yukon railroad bill in the House of Commons still goes on.

Five steamers, costing \$425,000 each, will be built for the Atlantic fast line.

The rate war between the C. P. R. and United States roads is extremely bitter.

British public opinion, regardless of party interests, supports Lord Salisbury's foreign policy.

Hostilities are momentarily expected between British and French at Argenti, West Africa.

It is likely that the Pipestone branch of the C. P. R. will be extended to Wood Mountain.

Stories of treachery in connection with the Maine disaster are regarded as purely sensational.

Senor Polo-de-Bernabe will succeed Senor Dapay de Lome, as Spanish minister to the United States.

## LOCAL.

TRAIN five hours late.

Old Times' call to-night.

Lent commences on Wednesday.

Our first winter weather arrived last week, and is still in evidence.

Colonel Hechmer and Mrs. Randall, nee Miss Herchmer, arrived on Friday's train.

The Cosgrove Co. will arrive on tonight's train and appear in the opera house for the four succeeding nights.

Fur sales since the 4th have been: Thos. Hourston, from R. Logan, \$171.30; from Sigler & Cristall, \$453.70; in small lots \$40.

The Rev. J. Dyke is introducing a series of special sermons on character study. The subject for last Sunday evening was "The Five Brothers."

The Merchants bank are prepared to open for the transaction of business as soon as their safe arrives. It is expected in on tonight's train. The fittings for the bank are now in and receiving their finishing touches.

Messrs. C. B. Heizer and wife, J. H. Myers, J. M. Heizer, Dr. Dornhoff, Dr. J. Blair, W. H. Horner, J. N. Bagger, Bert Cohn and Messrs. Emery and Patterson, piled out on Thursday evening. They took shelter in a house on the St. Albert trail, during Friday's storm.

The judgment which Messrs. Maloney and Young, of Calgary, recovered against the Clatsworthy party, in connection with the Yukon carts invented by Mr. Maloney, has been set aside. The Clatsworthy party are now at liberty to bring in their defence and the case will proceed on its merits.

MONTREAL STAFF: Mr. A. S. Chatfield and a party of three gentlemen, from New York city, are now here on route for the tamping gold fields. They leave by the C. P. R. as far as Edmonton, then by way of Peace and Pelly rivers to their destination. The journey is expected to occupy two months, and supplies for two years are carried. They intend to unite the pleasure of hunting and fishing with the excitement of gold digging.

The Great Falls Tribune says that a gentleman by the name of Elliott, from the Pine Ridge agency, is camped there. He is on his way to Edmonton and thence will go to Athabasca Landing, where he will build boats for Klondikers. He is a ship carpenter by trade. H. J. Bolinger, of Boston Heights, also expects to leave about March 20th for the Klondike with a party of six. They will go via Edmonton and the Mackenzie river, taking with them two years' supply, and will prospect along the route.

W. H. McDermott, formerly of Edmonton, returned last week from Sandon where he has resided for the past year. Business is very quiet in Sandon and a great many miners are leaving there for the Yukon. Mr. McDermott and J. F. McNamara, of Edmonton, are preparing an outfit and intend starting for the north this week. They will go by flat sleigh until the snow leaves after which they will continue by pack train, and their proposed route is westward along the north bank of the Peace, prospecting tributary streams en route.

The purchasers of the Edmonton district railway charter are the English-Yukon company with unlimited capital. Col. Dornville, who is manager of the company as well as a leading supporter of the Laurier government, has come out strongly against the Teelin lake route and advocates government construction of a railroad from Edmonton to Athabasca Landing and a grant of \$500 per mile for the construction of a first class wagon road over the 150 miles of land lying between the Mackenzie and Peace rivers.

PLANNED: Joseph McDonald, South Edmonton's oldest resident, and one of the town site proprietors, is preparing to leave for the Liard river with a party of prospectors from Minneapolis. Mr. McDonald is to be their guide and leader. There is probably not a man in the district who knows the country northwest from here better than Mr. McDonald, and the party that has secured his services for this trip is exceedingly fortunate. He traded, travelled and hunted in that country for many years and understands the conditions thoroughly. He heads for Hell Gate on the Liard, and proposes to get there and back home again by the month of June next. Thirty horses and flat sleighs form the means of transportation.

Messrs. Bouchier and Bell Irving, of Calgary, arrived on last train with 75 head of horses for the Klondike trade. They are offering a ready sale.

This fancy dress carnival which was to have been held on Saturday night has been again postponed, this time indefinitely, or until the weather moderates.

Two Hardie Ideals are on tonight's train and will play here in the Taylor Hall, next to Imperial hall, for three nights commencing to-morrow night, under the auspices of the fire brigade and band.

W. H. BRANDT wishes to contradict the portion of the report of the council meeting in a late issue of the BULLETIN in which his name was mentioned as being one of the petitioners for the removal of disorderly houses. Mr. Brandt states that he was not a petitioner in the case referred to.

Messrs. A. D. Osborne, Wm. Latimer, J. Secord and Jas. Kernohan, Jr., of Edmonton, are preparing to start for the Liard. They will go by the new trail via Fort Assiniboine and beyond the Peace will follow the route taken by H. Burbank and the Fresno party. After the snow goes they will continue by travois. They expect to start this week.

A FALSE alarm of fire at noon on Friday caused considerable commotion, which was speedily changed to indignation when it was discovered that the alarm was sounded for the purpose of calling a meeting of the brigade to discuss the question of using the fire hall for concert purposes. The fire brigade have the right to sound a false alarm twice a year.

PROSPECTORS intending to work in either the Northwest Territories (including the Yukon district) or British Columbia, should be careful to take out free miners certificates, which may be obtained at the Dominion lands office here. The Northwest (including Yukon) certificate is \$10, and the British Columbia certificate \$5. They form the essential basis of all mineral titles, and cannot be dispensed with.

THE curling bonspiel commences to-morrow. There are four events in the 'spiel consisting of a grand challenge for which three prizes are given: Merchants, three prizes; visitors, two prizes; and points competition, one prize. The list of prizes was prepared too late for to-day's paper, but will appear later. Three rinks are expected from Calgary and one from Innisfail. Six will enter from Edmonton.

ASA HODGMAN, Alias Baker, Alias Johnson, who was arrested here some days ago, and taken south to Calgary, has waived extradition proceedings, and has been taken to Chicago by a detective of that city. The crime for which Hodgman was arrested, and will be tried, for larceny by goods, was committed in the Yukon. He was secretary to the council of a carpenter and joiners association and appropriated some \$25,000 to his own use. The present charge, however, is for embezzlement of only \$1,000. He has a wife and three children in Chicago.

ONLIV's new book on the Yukon is out, and is no doubt a very valuable work. The appearance and general get up is excellent and the amount of matter contained is very large. There are a large number of maps and views of scenes in the Yukon. It is accompanied by a large map showing all the different routes to the Yukon, and this letter press also contains a short and impartial description of each one. The water route by way of the Klondike and River with starting points at Edmonton and Prince Albert occupies more space than any other except the Stikine route which is given a special notice on the first page. The Edmonton overland route receives scant and unfavorable attention; probably because it is the only real final competitor with the pet Stikine route. There are 160 pages of reading matter and a vast amount of valuable information is contained, but there is little of anything that has not already appeared in fact and even in letter, in former reports. The selling price is 50c, which is certainly not unreasonable, all things considered.

FUNERAL OF MRS. HARRISON. St. John Progress, Feb. 12th, Fredericton correspondence. Dr. J. Darby Harrison arrived here on Monday afternoon from Montreal, with the remains of his late wife and accompanied by his two children and their nurse. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon the interment being made in the Rural cemetery. Services were conducted at the house by the Rev. Mr. Teasdale and Rev. Dean Partridge. The casket was conveyed to the hearse by Messrs. Thomas Fowler, A. H. E. Porter, Harry Chesnut and W. Harrison, former friends of the deceased lady. Among the mourners were Dr. Harrison, Chancellor Harrison, Hon. F. P. Thompson, Prof. Dixie, Mr. Wm. Wilson, Mr. W. Harrison, Mr. J. J. Weddall and Mr. E. Barbary, of St. John. The students of the university walked in a body in the procession all in their college caps and gowns. The floral tributes were very beautiful and included a wreath from the congregation of the church at Edmonton and also one from the choir of the same church. The L. A. Wilmut band, of this city, sent a very beautiful closed book made of brown and green leaves with lines of white roses and lilies of the valley. The Epworth League, a matinee cross.

The former Sunday school class of the deceased lady in this city sent a beautiful crescent, and the Sunday school class of her sister, Miss Essie Logan, a wreath of carnations. Mrs. J. D. Harrison, cross; Mr. Arthur Harrison, wreath; Dr. and Mrs. Fisher, bouquet; Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Weddall, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Randall, bouquet; Mrs. Whelpley, basket of flowers.

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HALL, CROSS, BROWN, SHARP & COOK, Attorneys for Applicants.

CEMILL & MAY, Ottawa Agents.

RE GEORGE FLEET, DECEASED. Notice is hereby given that by order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Roussin, dated the 12th day of February, 1898, the creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the above named George Fleet, are to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their claims, together with a statement of the securities (if any) held by them, verifying the same by statutory declaration, and the names and addresses of their advocates (if any) to Messrs. Beck & Emery, of Edmonton, Alberta, Advocates for the Executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, within one month after the first publication of this notice. And take notice that after the expiration of the time as aforesaid the said executor will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said estate, having regard to the claims only of which the executor has then notice. Dated at Edmonton this 19th day of Feb., 1898. BECK & EMERY, Advocates for the Executor. First publication of this notice 21st Feb., 1898.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, FEBRUARY 21, 1908

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

DURING the debate on the Yukon railway deal there was no recognition by members of the government of the Edmonton route. On the contrary, in the Commons Hon. Mr. Blair spoke of the future extension of the Stickine route to the coast at a point south of the most southerly point of Alaska, and in the Senate Hon. Mr. Scott spoke of its ultimate extension to Ashcroft, on the C. P. R. Already the C. P. R. telegraph department are preparing to extend their line from Ashcroft to the Stickine. This looks as if the government was not only committed in favor of the Stickine route, but was committed against the Edmonton route.

While Canada is preparing to grant away its Alaska gold mines to aid a railway whose value depends on the good will of the United States, a United States senator is introducing legislation into congress to ensure that that country will continue to have a firm hold on the Yukon, in other words to harass Canadians in the navigation of the Stickine, their treaty right to which forms the basis of the Yukon railway deal.

By the bargain with Mackenzie & Mann those gentlemen get the selection of 85 blocks of land of six by twenty-four miles in the Yukon district and six years in which to make their selection. British Columbia is of much larger area than the Yukon, has been a field for prospectors for nearly forty years, and included richer mines than any in the Klondike, and yet 85 locations of the size mentioned could be so located as to cover every mine of gold or silver in British Columbia that is paying or that ever paid for working. Although the area of the Yukon district is very large, unless its rich gold deposits are very much more widely distributed than anything the world has yet seen, Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann's 85 locations can cover every paying prospect found in that district during the next six years. This being the case what is there left to offer for the further extension of the proposed railway northward to the northern end of Teslin lake or southward to the British Columbia coast, (both of which extensions are necessary if the line is to be a success in reducing the cost of working and living in the Yukon, to a reasonable basis) to say nothing of the aid necessary to induce the building of the only all-Canadian route for the sole advantage of Canadian trade. People will naturally be anxious to hear how further railway construction in or towards the Yukon is to be provided for before granting practically all value in the gold fields to the present enterprise, which, however urgent it may be, is to say the least, incomplete.

Nor the least misfortune of the government in its administration of the Yukon, is the character of the Ottawa correspondence which appears in the columns of its organs. In their anxiety to say the best that can be said the correspondents frequently say more than the circumstances justify. When the first hint of a shortage of food supplies at Dawson was given out the organs vociferated that this was impossible. For even if food supplies should be short the mounted police would see that no one went hungry. If all else failed Major Walsh and his party would set matters right. The situation according to letters received from Major Walsh's party, dated in the latter end of December, is that the major is hung up for the winter less than half way from the coast to Dawson, that he is in imminent danger of a shortage of supplies, having lost a large part of those he was taking with him, and that not less than 1,000 men are tramping out from Dawson to the coast in order to avoid the starvation that faced them if they remained. There is nothing in the situation that is any reflection on Major Walsh or the government, except by contrast with the announcements made, with what seemed to be official sanction. A case of "Save us from our friends,"

## SESSION NOTES.

The debate on the address ended on Friday evening, and the reply was adopted without a division. No very remarkable features were developed by it. While the opposition paid a good deal of attention to the preferential trade propositions of the government the discussion on that point was for argument's sake, rather than with any definite purpose. Not so on the Stickine railway deal which came in for some very pointed criticism. There is every indication that the opposition intend to put up the fight of their lives on this point; and although it was said that Sir Charles Tupper favored the deal, it is now said that he will be united with the bulk of his followers in opposing it. However, he has not yet expressed himself. The allusions to the deal in the address in reply were not such as to provoke controversy. The superannuation, the franchise and other bills which were left over from last session will be pushed through this session; and as far as the remarks of the opposition would indicate, they will not be seriously opposed. Although the order paper is covered with notices of motions and questions, none of them so far indicate any important line of action, but it is yet early in the day. The government's evident intention is not to unduly prolong the session. The chief interest centres in the Yukon railway deal and as that has been placed first on the list of government measures it is no doubt the intention to push it through as soon as possible. Once it is through—and there is every prospect that it will go through—interest in the session will be at an end and the rest of the business will be wound up quickly. The only drawback to the pushing through business is the Ontario elections which are now on, and take part in which the majority of the Ontario members on both sides hurried away last night, not to return until March 1st. In the meantime business will unquestionably drag, in the house.

The bill authorizing the Stickine railway contract was introduced by the minister of railways on Tuesday last, in a most remarkable speech. Remarkable for the warmth with which it was delivered and for the avowed lack of knowledge by the minister of the circumstances surrounding the proposed railway and the bargain regarding it. The minister declared that neither he nor the government had any idea what was the value of the lands granted in aid of it. Where those lands were to be located, or what were the conditions under which the Stickine was to be navigated by Canadian vessels through United States Territory. An item in this morning's Citizen mentions that Sir Richard Cartwright is going to Washington to arrange about this point. Not the least remarkable assertion of the minister was that the monopoly clause of the contract was forced upon the contractors by the government; so great was their objection to having any access to the Yukon by other than exclusively Canadian Territory. The minister acknowledged that the Dalton trail offered the best engineering route and it has since developed that the Rothschilds offered to build over the Dalton trail for 5,000 acres of land per mile, as against the 25,000 acres given to Mackenzie and Mann over the Stickine route; and that they refused to consider the project of building over the Stickine route even at the price offered Mackenzie & Mann. This does not speak very well for the advantages of the latter route. There was an animated attack on the provisions of the contract by the leading speakers of the opposition, without reply from the government. The main debate will commence on Tuesday next when the bill comes up for second reading.

## OTTAWA LETTER.

Ottawa, Feb. 12, '08.

The Ontario provincial elections are in progress and are being run as strongly on the lines of the Dominion political parties as possible. The names tory and grit are used in an uncomplimentary sense, or almost as freely exchanged as if it were a Dominion contest, and the Dominion parties are turning out their strength almost as fully. That the Hardy government has not as strong a hold upon the confidence of the people of the province as the Mowat government, goes without saying; but on the other hand the attacks of the opposition are woefully weak. At a meeting held recently in Ottawa and addressed by Mr. Whitney, the leader of the local opposition, his main attack consisted in proof that the administration of the government was not perfect. As perfection is unattainable in this wicked world the proof that the Hardy government was not perfect amounted to nothing as a means of arousing popular feeling against them. For himself and for his own party Mr. Whitney had nothing to say. He did not take issue with the government on any line of policy, and did not outline any policy on his own behalf. If he expects to win it is on the very general principle that it is time for a change in local politics. His is evidently strictly a waiting game. A certain part of the government's school policy was the only point on which he offered effective criticism, that is effective as offering a tangible alternative. He

said that the common school system of Ontario was run simply as a preparatory course to the high schools, although 90 per cent. of the children attending the common schools never went to any other school. This he held to be an abuse of the purposes of the common school to fit children for the place in life which they might naturally expect to fill. Under the present system the school existed not for the purpose of making qualified farmers, artisans or merchants, but for the purpose of making school teachers, and professional men, when in the nature of things only a very small percentage of the pupils could be advantaged thereby; and if more than that small percentage sought the advantage the country at large was disadvantaged to that extent. Mr. Whitney had only good to say of the facilities furnished for higher education, but the whole educational system should not be made secondary to that part of the system. Mr. Whitney is entitled to credit for his courage in attacking what is a most harmful misconception as to the proper object of the common schools, and if he had like criticisms to offer on other branches of the government's policy he would be more deserving of success.

The weather which was stormy and cold last week, is now rainy and slushy to the last degree. People walk in the street car tracks in preference to using the sidewalks as they are deep in snow and slush, with water running from the eaves.

## For the Klondyke!

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Dated at Montreal this 3rd day of February, 1908.  
R. D. MCGIBBON,  
Solicitor for Applicants.  
GEMMILL & MAX,  
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## Carts for the Klondyke Trail

To arrive before March  
1st, one car of Ox  
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## SMUTTY WHEAT.

The following letter from the Ogilvie Milling Co., to a local firm, has been handed to us for publication. It conveys a warning to grain growers, which explains itself:

"We think that the farmers in your district will require to pay a little more attention to their seed wheat for the future, as I regret to notice that the seed wheat from your district is more or less rejected for smut. The farmers can overcome this by bluestoning their seed, and unless this is properly attended to, your board of trade take active measures to impress this upon the farmers, it is going to be a permanent injury to your locality, as smutty wheat is nearly as injurious as frozen wheat. In the interest of your locality we would strongly suggest prompt measures on the part of your board of trade to bring these facts forcibly to the attention of every farmer in your district, as neither smutty or frozen wheat is suitable for our milling, no matter what the price. It is not a question of price as compared with No. 1 hard wheat."

## CLEARWATER'S NEW INDUSTRY.

The farmers of this district held a very successful dairy meeting in the Fognette school house on Saturday, the 12th inst. The meeting was ably presided over by Mr. J. W. Chilton, who first introduced Mr. D. Davidson, a cheese man from Brockville, Ont., who addressed the meeting on the question of a combined cheese and butter factory to be erected at Clearwater in the early spring. The chairman then introduced Mr. G. B. Taylor, of the Edmonton creamery, who spoke strongly on the benefits of a creamery and the best methods of dairy farming in general. A vote was taken to decide which would be preferable, a skimming station or a cheese and butter factory. The latter carried unanimously. The building to be erected and in running order by the middle of May next.

## ANGUS RIDGE.

Joseph Shantz, who has been working at the Diard for a few weeks, returned home on Monday. "Si" is very popular with the boys here. We trust that the postmaster-general will grant our petition for a bi-weekly mail here as soon as possible. We must not get behind the times. The farmers in this district are generally in favor of organizing an agricultural society in Wetaskiwin. The members of the committee appointed to do the canvassing believe that the society will be established. Even a fair day for the school children to say nothing of the many benefits for the farmers, would be hailed with delight. Our district must feel it a pleasure to do what they can to place this grand district among the foremost in the Northwest. Mr. McRae is sending his children to the Battle river school till there is one built in his own district. There are 24th pupils present to-day and 26 on the roll. The stable in connection with the school house will likely be ready for use this week. No excuse for those driving, that there is no shelter for their teams. The weather is all that could be desired; as the good book says: "The lines have fallen to us in pleasant places." Who could think of leaving such a fine country. Feb. 9.

## POPULAR LAKE.

Correspondence: The Xmas tree held in the school house last Friday evening, though rather out of season, has been a complete success. The first to catch your eye as you entered the door was the tree itself at the other end of the room, loaded with presents of every description, from floor to ceiling. It is possible for a tree to grow in must have uttered quite a few from the unworldly burden it had to bear. After a short address by the teacher, Alex. McDiarmid was appointed chairman. The programme began by the children singing a chorus, "Hark the Bells." An hour was then spent in vocal and instrumental music when an excellent refreshment was served by the ladies of the district, in the shape of cakes and cakes, etc., etc. Thereafter the programme was proceeded with after the manner of a social gathering. The audience it was evident they appreciated the various performances, which consisted of songs, recitations, etc., in the logues, and recitation. Mr. Maloney, M. L. A., gave a short address and from some of his remarks we expect to hear his voice most again in the near future. One of the most pleasant evenings we have had for a long time ended by singing God Save the Queen.

Where all the performers attend their parts so well it may be out of order to make distinctions, but the dear Miss B. Shand, Miss K. Cunningham, Mr. Harley, were so well performed that they deserve special mention, by the appreciation shown by the audience—the largest, I believe, ever seen in Popular Lake. It is a pity we could not have these young gatherings often. Young people in sparsely settled districts have not the same facilities for amusements as those in towns, and work on the farm become monotonous. What has become of the literary society or debating club which we were to organize some time ago. This would be both amusing and instructive to young people. We are glad to see Mrs. Cummings, senior, able to be out among us. She has been ailing all winter, but is now nearly in her usual form. The Fort Saskatchewan Milling Co. have bought the Popular Lake Threshing Co's outfit. Feb. 14, '98.

## PARLIAMENTARY NOTES.

Since its opening parliament has been engaged principally in debating upon the speech from the throne and upon the terms of the proposed Teelin lake railway deal. The respective party leaders have had an interesting colloquy, in which the leader of the opposition gave the opposition a severe raking over, and the premier, on his own behalf and in defence of the government, assured the respected leader of the opposition that he was not "out Tuned Topper," and characterized his entire speech as "a deluge of words in a desert of ideas." The debate is still in progress. Among notices of motion given on the first day of the session were the following: By Mr. Millock, to repeal the superannuation act; Mr. Taylor, to restrict the importation and employment of aliens; Mr. Foster, for papers of the Yukon mining, dredge and timber lease; Mr. Chilton, Lord's day bill and bill re seduction and abduction; Mr. Davin, to place implements on the free list, for the agreement with Washington re transportation and trade in Yukon, for opinion of the government as to the Edmonton route, for strength of mounted police, for information as to instruction

given Indian officials re purchase of labor and supplies, to place \$15,000 in the estimates for dairying, and bill to amend police act.

The following bills were introduced and read a first time. Mr. Taylor: To repeal the alien labor act and substitute one an exact copy of the United States laws. Mr. Penny: To make the day of the federal elections a holiday. Mr. Britton: To amend the criminal code by dispensing with corroborative evidence under section 748 giving power to the minister of justice to order a new trial. Mr. Davis: To reduce the time of service in the mounted police necessary for the granting of pensions from twenty-five to twenty years. Mr. Richardson: Respecting the attachment of salaries out of moneys in the hands of government. Sir Chas. Tupper directed attention to the absence from the Yukon railway contract of a stipulation guarding against any transfer by Mackenzie and Mann, of their interests to a foreign company. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said he would consider the suggestion.

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And amongst other things to confirm the by-laws of the company, establishing a transportation and trading department; to construct either a toll road, tram, electric or steam railway, or water navigation course, or parts of each, with branches from some point on the Dominion branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway to the Klondyke or Yukon District, in the Northwest Territories, with necessary powers or each department, or work connected therewith; to construct and operate ferries within certain distances; to bridge rivers or streams, or to utilize the waters for power or other purposes; to improve and navigate with vessels, rivers, lakes or streams, and collect tolls for use of same.

To construct and operate telegraph and telephone lines; to establish trading posts; to acquire an engine in mining; to apply to the Dominion Parliament for aid, or obtain and accept municipal or other aid, gifts, lands, houses, property, franchises, of interest or security; to amalgamate or purchase; to impose regulations, fines or make rewards; to pay cash bounties or stocks; to change the name and head-office of business of the company; to incorporate the company; to sell the property of the company; to issue preferred stock; to bond or mortgage in part or in whole the property of the company; to acquire by purchase or otherwise any or either of the branches or department shall apply, and such other powers as may be granted by Parliament.

On behalf of the company. J. B. FOWELL, General Manager.

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Dated at the City of Calgary, in the District of Alberta, this 25th day of December, A. D. 1897.

LOUGHREY & BENNETT, Advocates for the Applicants.

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GEORGE H. MAY, For the Applicants. Ottawa, December 2nd, 1897. 13-33

NOTICE.

In hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a company to construct, maintain and operate a railway or tramway from the head of Miles' canon to the foot of the White Horse Rapids, or to any other point in the Northwest Territory. Also to acquire lands, bounties or other aid from the Government of Canada.

GEORGE H. KIDDS, Solicitor for Applicants. Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 9, 1897. 13



# THE GOVERNMENT WILL HELP.

In response to the telegram referred to in last issue, sent by the council and board of trade to the minister of interior, asking for a grant by the government of \$1,000 for the exploration of a road from Peace River landing to the Pelly, the following reply was received by Mayor Edmonson from the deputy minister on Thursday evening: "Minister of interior will recommend grant of \$1,000 to assist in cutting roadway referred to in your telegram of yesterday." On receipt of this message a telegram was sent to Frank Oliver, M. P., asking him if it would be advisable to raise the money privately here, on the strength of the deputy minister's telegram. On Saturday his reply was received in which he stated that he had been out of town with the Winnipeg delegation at Toronto, Hamilton and Montreal working for the Edmonton route, regarding which he expected good success. He would see Mr. Sifton to-day and wire reply to their inquiry. A reply has not yet been received, but when it arrives a special meeting of the council will be held to settle the matter.

## METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory, Edmonton, for the dates given:

	Max.	Min.
Thursday, 17,	-5	
Friday, 18,	-10	-22
Saturday, 19,	-9	-25
Sunday, 20,	2	-19
Monday, 21,		-11

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Woolen Gloves.

Calfskin Gloves (lined).

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Buckskin Mitts.

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Storm Hood.

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Miners' Split Shoes.

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